



INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS

PARTNERSHIP

GOOD NEWS CHURCH-CHURCH PLANTING CENTER.
2009-2024



"For the grace of God has appeared that offers salvation to all people. It teaches us to say "No" to ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright and godly lives in this present age."
Titus 2:11-12 NIV

Church Planting Institute-Monterrey

(Matt 28:18-20) *And Jesus came and said to them "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."*

CPI has been doing just that since 2009 from its central hub in Monterrey, Mexico. Under the leadership of CPI's current director, Jorge Aleman and his team, church planters have been trained, assessed, mentored, and partially funded to go out and plant churches in the 10 most culturally and economically influential cities in northern Mexico, using the example that the apostle Paul demonstrated throughout his ministry.

Bethel has partnered with CPI since the inception of this plan to reach the 10 most influential cities throughout northern Mexico with a reformed message of the gospel. The little publicized "10 Cities in 10 years" line item in our budget is the vehicle from which we partner with CPI financially to accomplish this goal. To date, 7 of the 10 cities targeted on the map by CPI have established at least one reformed gospel preaching church in them and several cities have multiple churches that have now been planted. The other 3 targeted cities have works in progress, along with 2 other cities that have works in progress, which are a result of "mother" churches planting "daughter" churches. Church multiplication does work. We have learned that the funding for "Incubator" or training sessions, assessment of potential church planters, mentoring, and the travel that this sometimes requires, are all important and significant to the potential success of a church planter or church plant. This is another way that our church family here at Bethel is helping to fulfill the "Great Commission" as it is laid out in Mathew 28.

With all this in mind please be in prayer for:

- Jorge Aleman, his family and team at CPI Monterrey, as they work to train, assess, and mentor church planters
- Armando Cuevas (our newest international partner) and his family in Chihuahua, Mexico as they work to plant a reformed gospel preaching church in that strategic city
- Pastors, church planters, and their families in the other various strategic cities throughout northern Mexico.

this week

Sunday's sermon: *The New Covenant Meal* - Matthew 26:26-29

events

Fellowship Luncheon
4/6 immediately after service

Youth Committee Meeting
4/6 at 3:30 pm

Middle School Girls Discipleship Group
4/6 at 4:00 pm

Youth
4/6 at 5:00 pm

Men of the Covenant
4/7 at 6:30 pm

Colleen Riddle Circle
4/9 at 11:00 am

Mentors & Moms
4/10 at 10:00 am

volunteer schedule

Infant Nursery
Cathy Robinson & Ann Marsh

Toddler Nursery
Amanda & Miller Brummett

Worship Training
Lindsey Hall & Ruth McCormick

The deacon's fund will be collected this Sunday, following worship.